

DUTY ROSTER	SATURDAY 6/10/2018	SUNDAY 7/10/2018	NEXT SATURDAY 13/10/2018	NEXT SUNDAY 14/10/2018
Worship Officiant	Hide le	Ps Loon Fu-Man	No '1 John' Service.  Combined Confirmation Service on Sunday, 14 Oct 2018, <b>10.00am</b>	Revd Bernard Yee
Celebrant	-	Revd John Lin		Rt Revd Dr John Chew
Holy Communion Assistant	-	Ps Fu-Man, Paul Lim & Kenneth Sng		Revd John Lin, Revd Bernard, Ds Lena, Ps Chwee Lian & Kenneth Sng
Community Praise Team	Mr Darius Foo & Team	Livingstreams		Combined Team
Preacher	Mr Darius Foo	Revd Lewis Lew		Rt Revd Dr John Chew
Scripture Text	-	Acts 11:19-30; Mark 12:41-44		Hebrews 4:12-16; Mark 10:17-31
Sermon Title	Open Topic	Fulfilling Our Call as the Antioch of Asia		Good Teacher, what must I do ... ?
Scripture Reader	Hide le	Aileen Tung		Choo Heng Yu
Ushering Team	Claypots	CH95		Selah & FH50K
Floral Arrangement	Michelle Huan			Janet Kua
Refreshment	-	Helen Lim		Buffet Lunch
Treasurer	Nellie Nam	Tan Pei Ching		Ho Boon Sing
Treasury Witness	Victor Tay	Cho Ling & Bee Kuan		Esther Ling & Lye Chee
Staff On Duty	Doris & Ps Fu-Man	Doris & Ps Roger		Opening: Ps Fu-Man & Ps Yun Jing. Closing: Ps Alan & Ps Lyu Yang

### Upcoming Events

Church Cell Leaders' Retreat on 28 October 2018  
 Batam Mission Trip from 25 to 29 November 2018  
 Combined Christmas & Baptism Service on 25 December 2018

### Worship Service on Saturday

**English Service** 4.30 pm at Sanctuary

### Ministries

**Home cell Fellowship** 8.00pm on Fridays  
**Youth Meeting** 2.00pm on Saturdays  
 at Patmos Hall

### Worship Services on Sunday

**English Service** 9.00 am at Sanctuary  
**Cantonese Service** 9.00 am at Patmos Hall  
**Mandarin Service** 11.15 am at Sanctuary  
**Hokkien Service** 11.15 am at Patmos Hall

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**School Gate E Open for Entry:** Saturday: 8.00am-11.00am & 1.00pm-6.00pm  
 Sunday: 8.00am-9.00am & 10.30am-11.15am

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**A Warm Welcome to all our guests**

**Do send your children** to our Children's Ministry. We have a well-supervised and nurturing programme for your children. 'Kids For Christ' (7 to 12 years) and 'Little Lambs' (24 months to 6 years). There is also a Toddlers' Room upstairs.

**Please do not feel obliged** to participate in the offertory. The offertory is meant for Christians.

**After the service, do stay back** for a cup of coffee. We would like to get to know you better.

**Do join us again next week.** We look forward to having you worship God with us again.

	<b>Saturday</b> <b>6 October 2018</b> <b>Children's Day</b> <b>Special Service</b>	<b>Sunday</b> <b>7 October 2018</b> <b>Holy Communion</b>
Scripture Text	-	Acts 11:19-30; Mark 12:41-44
Sermon Title	Open Topic	Fulfilling Our Call as the Antioch of Asia
Preacher	Mr Darius Foo	Revd Lewis Lew

**COLLECT**

**Nineteenth Sunday After Trinity**

Almighty God, your Son has opened for us a new and living way into your presence. Give us pure hearts and steadfast wills to worship you in spirit and in truth; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

**Mission and Purpose:** As we see the gracious salvation plan in the missional heart of God, may we be a missionary church of Spirit-filled committed disciples of Jesus Christ, always ready to take the gospel to the nations.

## Vicar writes

Dear family in Christ

It is that time of the year again. Shopping malls are less crowded. Sales of vitamins increases. Playgrounds and parks are quieter. Anxiety levels of many parents go up. Yes, it is October exam fever in Singapore. Many children and young people experience great pressure and deep anxiety to perform well in school and get good grades.

How can we as Christian parents and the church family be an encouragement, support and help to our children to alleviate their pressure and stress and to help them grow into resilient, mature and secure adults?

- 1) Teach our children on the value of hard work, perseverance and resilience, motivating them to do their best and learning to cope with failure.
- 2) Encourage our children to look out for their classmates who need help, support and encouragement in their studies or family/friendship issues.
- 3) Remind our children that academic exams cannot measure their good character, special gifts (talents) and their compassion and care for others.
- 4) Assure our children that our love for them is unconditional and unchanging, regardless of their study grades or school performance.
- 5) Anchor our children in the love and grace of God and find their true worth, deep joy and spiritual identity in Jesus Christ.

As we await eagerly for the Return of Jesus Christ, let us keep our children's educational life with the right perspective and priority. Let us be mindful of the things that really matter in the light of eternity: (1) Relationship with God, (2) Salvation of souls, and (3) Glory of God.

Maranatha

Pastor John

## Intercession

### **31<sup>st</sup> Girls' Brigade Company**

**Our Motto:** Seek, Serve and Follow Christ

**Our Aim:** To help girls become followers of the Lord Jesus Christ and through reverence, self-control, and a sense of responsibility to find true enrichment in life.

**Theme for 2018:** Social (To understand oneself in relation to others and to be of service at home, to the community, country and the world).

**Theme verse:** Luke 4:18-19, "The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed me to proclaim good news to the poor. He has sent me to proclaim liberty to the captives and recovering of sight to the blind, to set at liberty those who are oppressed, to proclaim the year of the Lord's favour."

**Thanksgiving: Praise the Lord:** The Coy was awarded Gold for her achievement and performance in 2017 and sustained Gold Award. The Coy's drill team was awarded Gold in the National Drill Competition; thanks to the dedication and tireless effort of Warrant Officer Beatrice Lee. 13 recruits were received into our GB family this year.

**Prayer Requests: For the team serving in this ministry and for more Officers and Helpers:** Revd John Lin (Chaplain), Ps Fu-Man (Asst Chaplain), Ps Florence Hou and Ps Elizabeth Joseph (GB Officers), Loh Ai Min and Alyss Woo (Junior Officers).

Mrs Calyn Wee (Captain), Mdm Lim, Mrs Lim Wan Lin, Mrs Amelia Chong (Teachers), Beatrice Lee (Warrant Officer).

### **PRAYSINGAPORE (Celebration of Hope)**

As part of the ongoing prayer momentum in this Year of Prayer, you are encouraged to participate in **PraySingapore**, a gathering of all the churches in Singapore as one body in Christ on **Sunday, 7 Oct 2018, 4.00pm to 7.00pm** at the National Stadium SportsHub. The prayer theme is “**Seeking Welfare for the Country**”. Admission is by ticket only. You may pick up the ticket at the usher’s table.

### **Confirmation Service**

The combined Confirmation Service will be held on **Sunday, 14 Oct 2018, 10.00am**. Buffet lunch will be served after the Service. “1 John” Service will not be held on Saturday, 13 Oct 2018. Rehearsal for the confirmation candidates will be held on Sunday, 7 October 2018 at 1.15pm in the sanctuary.

### **Cell Leaders’ Retreat**

There will be a cell leaders’ retreat on **Sunday, 28 Oct 2018, 12noon to 5pm** at school premises. Lunch will be provided. All cell leaders, please sign up with Patrick Lee by 16 Oct 2018 of your attendance.

### **PCC Meeting**

There will be a PCC meeting on **Tuesday, 16 October 2018, 7.30pm**. PCC members are encouraged to come from 6.45pm onwards for a time of prayer.

### **Batam Mission Trip 2018**

The trip is scheduled from **25 to 29 November 2018**. The cost is S\$200 per person. Training will commence from Saturday, 20 October 2018, 4pm to 6pm in Peace Room. For enquiries and sign ups, please approach Ps Florence Hou.

### **Christian Education**

Dates/Time: **Sundays, 4, 11, 18 & 25 Nov 2018 / 11.30am to 1.30pm**

Venue: Indoor Sports Hall Classroom                      Course Instructor: Ps Loon Fu-Man

A study of Genesis 12-25 on The Life of Abraham In The Covenant of God.

Please register with Ps Fu-Man at [fuman@patmos.org.sg](mailto:fuman@patmos.org.sg)

### **Baptism**

There will be baptism class on **Sundays, 2, 9, 16, 23 Dec 2018, 11.30am to 1pm** in the Indoor Sports Hall Classroom. The baptism service is on Christmas day on **Tuesday, 25 Dec 2018**.

### **Prison Fellowship Singapore (PFS) - Angel Tree Hampers**

SJCp participated in last year’s Angel Tree Hampers project with 33 volunteers successfully delivered 42 hampers to 33 families. A Family visitation team of 14 members was formed following this with befriending and supporting 10 families. The church also baptized 3 of them. This year, our church will deliver 50 hampers. Information on registration is available on the Angel Tree – SJCp 2018 cards. The cards are available on the ushers’ table. Register before 8 Nov. Contact Ron Yip at [ronyippc@outlook.com](mailto:ronyippc@outlook.com) or Ps Lawrence at [lawrence@patmos.org.sg](mailto:lawrence@patmos.org.sg) for further information.